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Sir Charles T. Skelton, a former mayor ferries;

t a kind by her contently oppressed blue. It was a small edition of the innermations of Jeremiah to other the war. Tiell is led lease in Seath Africal was one of his expressions, and break part rid erum. quent accolors became much more prom-quent and elicited at times a great deal of feeding and not a little cloquence. The di-vision of opinion on the South African war seems to be greater in the English conti-nent than in the American. Most of the neut than in the American to see the

and no looses, unless you count a seeming loss of temper circe in a while.

In reply to the addresses of welcome Bishop John F. Hurst read hts speech and was not in strong voice. Hence the great reputation he wen when he welcomed to Washington ten years ago the second Ecomenical was not fully sustained. To Bishop Hurst, however, belongs the honor of making the first reference in the conference to the death of the good Victoria. A beautiful tribute he paid to her, and he was no less happy in his allieden to "that honored son of American Methodism, William McKinley," In marked contust to the manner and master of Bishop Hurst's speech was that which followed, for it was extemporaneous in delivery and fairly hristied with forching oratorical points. Dr. John Potts is the leading representative of Canadiam Methodist churches there; now, he said, there was only one, for the different branches had united, and had since been much more prosperous. From British North America he brought a greeting, he said, which had sung loyally "God Save the Queen," and they were now just a knowly in singing "God Save the King." Dr. Potts made a ratifling speech, with almest as much patriotism and politics as religion and Methodism in his and that is a fair example of what the first days of the confered brother. The third response to the

Then came the initial lumings of the col-ered brother. The third response to the addresses of welcome was by Rishop Wal-ters of the Africa. Memodist Episcopal Zion church. This representative of the African race hasn't the rugged, grioping, aggressive cloquence of Dr. M. C. R. Ma-son, nor the message perspasses climate FANNIE B.

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It is of svery lair, have the clearest to an any state of steam as beautifiers and freekes. In the same the form the people of England to still give the African race in America their symptometric and freekes. It is seen so quickly the carry speat weight with the unprejudiced, and it was seen evident from the tone of his remarks that he had an axe to grind, from his point of view a not suncertify which carry great weight with the unprejudiced, and it was seen evident from the tone of his remarks that he had an axe to grind, from his point of view and sunction so dear to a state of state of the form his point of view and sunction so dear to a state of state of the form his point of the was an appear to the people of England to still give the African race in America their sympathy. As an evidence that they were making progress he pointed to the fact that at this Ecumendical there was a colored delegate who was a banker. Something that had it happened before. The longists, he said had always been their friends, but he feared they might turn against his race because of the few colored mendicants who had come over to take advantage of them.

On that most interesting day when the present condition of world wide Mathedban kwas under review, many talage were said which might easily have formetted denyminational gride, with not a few things that were famny, and some strange to say, that he was the proportion of academic degrees amongst ministers was one in aftects who were the best effected were those was now one in aftects who were the best effected were those was now one in aftects and this feeting and the further satement was male falls the inflators who were the best effected were those and ordered to the fall of the proportion of academic degrees amongst ministers was one in aftected, were the best effected were those who were the best effected to one in places of worship

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Ladies' Silk Waists

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Ladies' Tailored Suits; made of black and navy blue cheviot, silk lined jacket, handsomely trimmed, worth \$18; Opening Week price... 12.48 Ladies' Tailored Suits, made of tan and trimmed, worth \$20; Opening Week 15.98

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eight rows of silk, jacket satin lined and latest cut, worth \$2750; Openprice 21.50 Ladies' Tailored Suits, made of black and brown broadcloth, skirt made with flounce, trimmed with 3 trimmed, worth \$30; 24.98

Misses' Tailored Suits in navy, brown, gray and new blue, hand somely made and trimmed in the est styles; Opening Week pelces, \$39.98, \$24.98, \$19.98, \$18.98, \$15.00, \$14.50, \$14.00, \$12.98 11.98

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trimmed, worth \$10; Opening Week price 6.98	Š

OPENING WEEK IN OUR Ladies', Misses', Knit Underwear Dep't Ladles' Union Suits, all Ladles' Wool and Cotton Knit Unsizes, at.....\$1.48, 98c and 48c derskirts, in light and dark fancy

Misses' and Children's Derby Rib'd colorings, at Vests and Pants, full line of sizes,\$1.50, \$1.25, \$1, 75c and 50C at 50c, 35c, 25c, 20c and 15c Ladies' White Knit Under- 25c Misses' and Children's Union Suits, Ladies' Fancy Wool Fascinators, to 6, at .50c, 45c, 40c, 38c, 30c and 25c Children's Crochet Sacques, 25c all sizes, at50c and 25c

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Opening Week Bargains

Monday and Entire Week 32-inch Fine Imported Scotch Madras, bandsome styles, worth 20c; Opening Week Best quality Dress Ginghams, in pretty light blue, pink, lavender and red checks, worth 15c; 7cc Opening Week price. 72c Ladies' Fast Black Hose, worth 10c | pure wooi and German make, prices Opening Week price...... 50 Children's Derby Ribbed Hose, fast black, all sizes, worth 20c a pair; Opening Week price 12c Odd lots of Ladles' Fine Kid Gloves, all sizes, all colors and black, worth on to \$1.50 and reserved. Ladies' Black Silk Skirts made with 3 rows of silk ruffles and tucked all over, worth \$17.50; Opening Week price..... 59c up to \$1.50 a pair; Electric Taffeta Neck Ribbons, 4 colors, worth osc. 25c in Liberty silk, ruching, lace, velvet and applique, Opening Sale prices, \$39.98, \$30.00, \$24.98, \$19.98, \$16.98 and 14.98 pink, lavender, red, navy and black. Opening Week price...... 15c Skirts, made and trimmed in the latest and best styles; Opening Week prices. \$12.98, \$10.98, \$7.98, \$5.48 and 4.98 Big lot of Ladies' Fine Leather Pocketbooks and Chain Satchels, Opening Week 25c Ladies' Fancy Silk Stocks and Ties, black, white and colors, worth \$1; Opening Week 50c Handsome Tucked Satin Belts with fancy buckles, worth up to \$2.50. Opening Week prices, \$1.50, 98c, 50c and 35c

Ladies' Silk Petticoats, black and colors, all handsomely trimmed; Opening Week prices......\$15.98, Ladies' French Flannelette Waists.

Cambrie Muslin, worth 10c; 7c. A good Unbleached Domestic, Opening Week Ladies' Flannel Waists A good Bleached Domestic, 42C Ladies' Pine Imported French Flannel Waists, all colors and black, handsomely trimmed; Opening Opening Week price ek prices. .\$5.48, \$4.98, \$3.98 and 2.98

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ity; Opening Week price 121c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, splendid quality: Opening Week price..... 1320 17x34 Hemmed Huck Towels, worth 16c; Opening Week price 12c Ladiea' New Fall Percale Waists,

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Many new and exclusive lots in this section not to be found in any other stock in Houston. Advance. styles of new Ragians and Auto Top Coats received last week. Boys' Knee Pants (4 to 16 years), good, heavy material for fall and

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